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Hongkong, February 1, 1883.

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Intimations.

NOTICE.

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MAGISTRACY,

Hongkong, 18th April, 1894.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

A N Emergency MEETING of the above A: LODGE will be held in the FREE.

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Hongkong, April 20, 1894.

ONE MONTH from date of issue.

Hongkong, April 5, 1894.

Special SESSIONS of Her Majesty's JUSTICES of the PEACE will be held

H. E. WODEHOUSE,

Police Magistrate.

Hongkong, April 19, 1894.

A. H. RENNIE,

16. Bank Buildings.

Business Notices.

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62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, November 11, 1893. MILLINERY.

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Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

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Telegraphic address: 1,400 PEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL. TELEPHONE NOTICE is hereby given that the LIQUIDATOR of the AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED, (IN LIQUIDATION), has SOLD this HOTEL to Mr. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS, who took possession on the 16rn Instant, and will Solely be Responsible for all DEBTS incurred by the

Management of the Hotel from and after that date. The LIQUIDATOR will Pay all DEBTS incurred during the Liquidation up to the 16th Instant, and will Collect all Outstanding ACCOUNTS up to the same

Hongkong, April 21, 1894.

STEAMSHIP GLENFRUIN. 8 H I P M E N Goods.

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Hongkong, April 14, 1894.

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171LL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named :--

REMARKS. STEAMSHIP. MONDON, &c......Thames ....... Noon, 26th April ..... See Special Advertisement. JAPAN ..... Verona ..... Daylight, 2nd May .... Freight or Passage. SHANGHAI......Ganges......About 7th May ...... Freight or Passage.

LONDON vid MARSEILLES ... Japan ...... About 10th May ..... Freight or Passage.

For further Particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 24, 1894.

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE. THURNISHED BOOMS, with BOARD Also Table Accommodation

MRA GILLANDERS,

12, GLENEALY BUILDINGS, 7 Wyndham Street. Hongkong, November 21, 1893.

20, QUEEN'S ROLD CHNTEAL

Hongkong, November 17, 1898.

Intimations.

NOTICE. THE following will be the RATES PASSAGE MONEY by the undermentioned Lines until further Notice :-Snites of Offices if necessary, to sult intend.

\*\*\* \*\*\*\* H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. C. TOURNAIRE, Acting Agent, Messageries Maritimes.

MELCHERS & Co., North German Lloyds S.S. Co. Hongkong, April 24, 1894.

NOTICE. PACIFIC MAIL 8.8. CO. OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S.S. CO

TIROM and after this Date all PASSAGE RATES by STEAMERS of the above Companies to Points in the United States, CANADA OF EUROPE, will be charged in GOLD. First Cabin Rates to the undermentioned Points are :-

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Hongkong, April 23, 1894. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

NOTICE.

N and after this Date all RATES of PASSAGE by this Company's Lines. to PACIFIO COAST, OVERLAND CANADIAN and United States Points, and to Europe, will be advanced, and hereafter quoted in STERLING at the Current Rate of Exchange at time of Purchase.

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D. E. BROWN, General Agent. Hongkong, April 23, 1894.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of this Society will be held at the OFFICES of the Society. No. 4, Praya, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 28th April instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, to consider, and, if thought fit, approve the Draft New Articles of Association which will be submitted to the Meeting, and in the event of the approval thereof. with or without modifications, to consider, and, if thought fit, to pass a Special Resolution to the following effect namely :-

That the New Articles of Association "already approved by this Meeting "and for the purpose of identification "subscribed by the Chairman thereof " be and the same are hereby approved, "and that such Articles, be and they " are hereby adopted as the Articles of "Association of the Society to the "exclusion of all the existing Articles "or Regulations thereof."

Should the Resolution be duly passed it will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special Resolution to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently conveced.

A print of the proposed New Articles of Association may be seen at the Society's above OFFICES on and after the 20TH APRIL

N. J. EDE,

Hongkong, April 11, 1894.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

N Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT, upon Contributions for the Year 1893 has been declared.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

has This Day been declared. WARRANTS | N.B. - Cargo can be taken on through Bill will be issued on the 30rH INSTANT. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. UANTON INBURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

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TO LET. NO. 2, PEDDER'S STREET, next to the Post Office. No. 72, QUEEN'S LOAD CENTRAL.

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, March 16, 1893.

TO LET. T MOUNT KELLETT, Peak-HOUSES. A Nos. 2 and 3, CAMERON VILLAS, from the 9th May next. HOUSES, Nos. 5 and 26, Bellitos Terrace.' Robinson Road, OFFICE, FIRST FLOOR, MARINE HOUSE,

No. 15, Queen's Road. HOUSE, No. 3, 'BEACONSFIELD ARCADE, facing Parade Ground. ROOMS in . BEACONSFIELD ARCADE. Queen's Road. HOUSE, No. 21, SHELLEY STERET.

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NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. NAPLES, GENOA,

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS;

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THE COMPANY'S STRANGES WILL CALL AND LUGGAGE.

of Lading for the principal places IN MONDAY, the 30th day of April

Steamship SAOHSEN, Captain Street, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this port as above; calling of NAPLES and GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted ti Noon, on SATURDAY, the 28th Instant Cargo and Specie will be received or board until Noon on Monday, the 30th Inst., and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office) whill Noon on SUNDAY,

not exceed Two Fest Cubic in measure The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Lines can be washed on board. For further Particulars, apply to

the 29th Inst. Contents of Packages are

required. No Parcel Baceipta will be

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Notices to Consignees.

INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALGUTTA, PENANG AND BINGAPORE. THE Company's S.S. Chelydra, having arrived from the above Ports, Con-

signees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from Cargo impeding the discharge of remaining on board after Noon of the 24th Inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Massegers, 2011 Hongkong, April 21, 1894

Shipping.

SHELL LINE. FOR LONDON AND ROTTERDAM. The Steamship

despatched for the above 702 Ports on or about the 25th April. For Freight or Passage, apply to

> Hongkong, April 5, 1894. DOUGLAS STRAMSHIP COMPANY.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & POOCHUW The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers Hongkong, April 24, 1894

INDO-UHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The Co.'s Steamship Captain & Cass, will be SATURDAY, the 28th Instant, at Noon.

Hongkong, April 21, 1894.

Cyclops

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

The Stement Oubley Outlin Marrows, will be described as above on For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 20, 1894. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS

YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Radnorshire. Capt. F. DAVISS. R. N.R. will be destratched as above on or about MONDAY, the 30th

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Hongkong, April 5, 1894.

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> BONUS of TWENTY PER CENT. A upon Convainuzions for the Year 1893

Hongkong, April 18, 1894.

NAUTICAL BOOKS.

Steamers.

MANA Captain DANTERS, will be

SHEWAN & Co., Agenta

Captain HARRIS, Will be Ports on FRIDAY the 27th Instant, at

Bor Freight or Passage, upply to JARDINE, MATHESONUE Co. General Managers.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship despatched as secret on SATURDAY, the 28th Instant.

Hongkong, April 23, 1894. FOR SHANGHAL

or about SATURDAY, the 28th Instant. DODWILL, CARLILL & Co.,

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

Aponta. Hongkeng, April 23, 1893.

Sailing Vessels. Adam W. Spice. for the above Port, and will

Hongkong, April 17, 1814.

Hongkong, March 17, 1804. Not Responsible for Debts.

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THE Steamship-THAMES, Captain W A. SEATON, R.N.R., carrying Hor Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, vid BOMBAY, TO. MORBOW, the 26th April, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above TOP WASHSTAND. Ports.

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tes for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed and Bombay without tranship. FOLD JAPANESE SORREN, FRENC : MOROCCO mont. The state and a series "

Parcels will be received at this Office antil 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. The ontents and value of all packages are required.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills of Lading. For further Particulars, apply to

H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 25, 1894

U. S. Mail Line.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. City of Peking (via) Nagasaki, Kobe, Thursday, May 3

at 1 p.m. Inland Bea and Yokohama)..... City of Sydney (via) Nagasaki, Kobe, WEBNESDAY, May 9, Inland Sea and Yokohama)......

at 1 p.m. China (via Nagasaki, Tursday, May 15, Kobe, Inland Sea at 1 p.m. and Yokohama) ... J

/ THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF PEKING will be despatched for BAN FRANCISCO, vid NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 3rd May, at 1 p.m., tsking Passongers and Freight for Japan

the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HUNOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route.

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any of the Overland Routes, including CENTRAL PACIFIC, SOUTHERN PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, NORTH-ERN PACIFIC, and DENVER and RIO GRANDE RAILWAYS. They can also travel over the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, on payment of \$10 in addition to the regular tariff rate.

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pany a and connecting Steamers. Preight will be received on board until p.m. the day provious to sailing, i'arce Packages will be received at the office unti 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value

of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States; should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envalues. addressed to the Collector of Customs at Sau

For further information as to Passage Gompany, No. 7, Praya Coutrai. J. S. VAN BUREN,

Hongkong, April 12, 1894.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD COMPANIES.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGRONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION) Tacoma..... | Tuesday | May 8. Sikh ...... Tuesday | May 29.

Victoria...... Tuesday June 19. Tacoma..... Tuesday July 17. THE Steamship TACOMA, Captain R. Hrit, salling at Noon, on TUESDAY, the Sth. May, will proceed to VICTORIA, B.O., and TACOMA sid SHANOHAL INLAND SEA, KOBE and Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and

United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate; and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The Freight Agent Northern Pacific Railcoad, Tacoms, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address marked in full by 5 p.m., on the

der previous to sailing.

Breight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1894.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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Zetland Street, on THURSDAY NEXT.

the 3rd May, at Noon,-THE WRECK OF THE STEAM-TUG PILOT FISH, as she now lies outside TAMTOO ISLAND. TERMS. - Wreck at Buyer's risk on fall

Notes or Mexican Dollars, 7.1.7. HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, April 25, 1894;

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Belgic (via Nagasaki, Thursday, May 24, and Ah Tai. Kobs, Inland Sea at 1 p.m. and Yokohama). Oceanic (via Naga-Tuesday, June 12, saki, Kobe, Inland at 1 p.m. Sea & Yokohama) Jacke (via Nagasaki, ) TYESDAY, July Kobe, Inland Sea > at 1 p.m. and Yokohama) ...

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Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to Bland, and Capt, Newell, and 10 Chinese; break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes

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Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE HALL, Zetland Street. TUESDAY, the 1st May, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are

cordially invited. Hongkong, April 25, 1894.

RHIPPING

ARRIVALS April 25 :-Sam Skolfield, American ship, 1,675, G

Skolfield, New York York November 13. Oil.—CAPTAIN. Namoa, British steamer, 863, H. C. A Harris, Foschow April 22. Amoy 23, and and Swatow 24, General .- DOUGLAS STRAM-

Gerda, German steamer, 2,111, T. Ehlers, Kobe April 19, General,—Siemesen & Co. Phra Nang, British steamer, 1,021, W. H. Watton, Bangkok April 18, General.

YUEN FAT HONG. Kiang Tung, Chinese str., 583, Sodi Shanghai April 21, General.-O. M. S.

Salvadora, Spanish steamer, 688, f the hammer. Cash payment in Bank Francisco Aguado, Manila April 22, Sugar. -Order. Toonan, Chinese steamer, 963, J. P. Lowe, Shanghai April 22, General .- C. M.

739 S. N. Co. Rynda, Russian cruiser, 3,000, Commander Rimsk-Korsakoff, Singapore April 18. Tsinan. British steamer. 1,457, Goo.

Ramsay, Sydney April 5, General. But-TERFIELD & SWIRE. Benaider, British steamer, 1,297, C. McIntosh, Saigon April 21, Rice and Cit.

> DEPARTURES. April 25 :--

Gaetic, for Japan and San Francisco. Macduff, for Baigon. Pekin, for Amoy. Ask, for Hoihow and Haiphong. Victoria, for Saigon. Alwine, for Hollow. Decima, for Snigon. Glengyle for Kobe.

ton.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Esmeralda, for Amoy. CLEARED. Tai Yick, for Chefoo.

Doris, for Baugkok. PASSENGERS.

ARRITED. Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Messrs N. D. Ollis, W. Bromley, and 202 Chinese.

Per Gerda, from Kobe, Mussrs Braendli

Per Phra Nang, from Bangkok, 70 Chi-Per Toonan, from Shanghai, 4 Chinese. Per Teinan, from Sydney, Mr and Mrs Mr H. B. Levis Miss Gassip, Messrs Orkney, T. Gittins, Mr E. H. Low D. McKay, A. P. Morris, Dr. A. Ross and

valet, N. Munnoos, G. L. Hesstly, Bcdel. Mr and Mrs Himen, G. J. Thomson and A. Miss Andrews Vignoles, and 9 Chinese. Per Benalder, from Saigon, 38 Chinese.

Per Gaelic, for Nagasaki, 3 Chinese; for Kobe, Mr and Mrs Franklin, Messrs Mrs V. Brenan and 2Mr James Rankin hama, Messrs C. R. Stephens, Parke, Mr J. G. T. Buckle Miss Scrivener Clarke, Deans, R. ck. Payne, J. M. Murray. J. C. Hill, Beit, R. T. Wright, Smart, E. Herbrech, Miss Stewart, Miss T. Smith, Miss Barkely, Miss Lamond, Mr and Mrs for Honolulu, Mr J. S. Minshead; for San Francisco, Mr and Mrs L. H. Dott and child, Messrs M. X. Michael, J. P. Ward, Hariseng Moogasing, and Lun Hing; for Liverpool, Messrs M. W. Alcock and E. Chams ; for Paris, Mr S. Godard ; for Ham-

burg, Mr H. C. Patersen. Per Glengyle, for Kobe, 1 European. Per Macduff, for Saigon, 12 Chinese. Per Ask, for Hollow, 55 Chinese. Par Alwine, for Hoillow, 160 Chinese.

Per Decima, for Saigon, 100 Chinese: Per Esmeralda, for Amoy, o Europeaus, and 50 Chinese. To DEPART.

Per Doris, for Bangkok, 1 European, and Mrs Farmer

BHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Namoa reports: Left Foochow April 22nd, Amey 23rd, and Swatow 24th. From Foochow to Ockseu, Mr J. Chandet light S.W. winds and fine weather; thence Mr R. Dipple From Amoy to Swatow, light variable winds and fine weather. From Swatow to port, moderate to light N.E. winds and rainy Capt. and Mrs Moore weather. Steamer in Foochow, Yikoung. Steamers in Amoy, Choysang, Thales, Sishan and Chusan. Steamers in Swatow. Kicongsang, Fokien, Newchwang, Singan, Kungpai and Cyclops.

The British steamer Phra Nang reports: Fair weather all throughout, with moderate Southerly and Esserly winds. The Chinese steamer King Tung reports: Fine weather and light variable winds. The Chinese steamer Toonan reports: Had moderate N.E. and E'ly winds and sea, and foggy, misty, rainy weather

throughout passage. The Russian cruiser Rynda reports: Fair voyage; mostly dead calm. The British steamer Tsman reports: On demand, ... ... ... ... ... 611 Had dirty, rainy weather all the way up the coast to Townsville : from thence beautiful On Bombayfine clear weather all the way to arrival. Wire: The British ateamer Bonalder reports: Had light S.E. and Easterly winds up till On Calouttalat. 18.54 N., long. 111.46 E.; thence to

port, moderate wind with rain. POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For BANGKOK .-

the 26th inst.

Per Holstein, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 26th inst. For YOKOHAMA. -Per Bygdo, at 4.30 p.m., on Thursday, Berometer ... 29.84 the 90th int

Per Namon, at 11,30 s.m., on Friday, the 27th inst. For SINGAPORE & BANGKOK.-Per Kong Beng at 11:30 a.m., on Friday, the 27th lent.

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POST OFFICE NOTICES MAILS will close:

For SINGAPORE, & LONDON .-Per Titan, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the the 27th inst. Per Cyclops, at 11,30 a.m., on Saturday,

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.—

The British Contract Packet Thames will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 26th April, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlemen's, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS When the Packets leave at Noon.

The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and

Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock

10.30 A.M. +-Posting of Newspapers,

Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes. BLATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

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Exchange. Hongkong, April 25, 1894.

On London-Bank, Wire, ... 2/1 80 days sight, 4 months sight. Documentary, 4 months sight. On Paris-Oredits, 4 months sight, .... 2.70 On Berlin-Demand,.... On New York-Oredita, 60 days' sight. On demand, ... On Shanghai-

30 days sight, private paper Gold Leuf, 100 tine (per taol) Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) Per Doris, at 9.30 a.m., on Thorsday, Silver (per oz.) ... ... ... 291d. HONGKONG REGISTER. Previous On date at On date at dayatep.m. 10 a.m. 4 p.m.

On demand.

F. G. Bros. Port Amstant Hongkong Observatory, April 25, 1894.

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A. S. WATSON & Co. LIMITED.

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On and after the 1st April, 1894, the PRICES OF OUR WINES AND SPIRITS will be as follows :-

PORT. (For Invalids and general Use).

B Vintage, superior quality, O Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capaule ..... 16.20 D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled) ... 20.40

Port after removal should be rested for month before use. Wine required for drinking at once should, be ordered to be decanted at the Dispensary before sent out. These wines are too well known to need Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale

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SHERRY. B Superior Pale Dry, dinner

wine, Green Seal Capsule 10.80 C Manzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule ... 12.00 O C Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule ...... 12.00

D Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old wife, White Seel Capsule ..... 14.40 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality. Black Seal Capsule (Old

B, C, and C C are excellent dinner wines or for invalids and delicate stomsche. D At Ningpo, on the 20th April, the wife and E are after dinner wines of a very of D. NESSITT of a Son. superior vintage. All are true Xeres wines. Sample bottles and smaller quantities Shanghai, the wife of J. F. D'Aquino of a will be supplied at proportionate wholesale Daughter.

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Per Per Case. Case. 1 doz. 2 doz. Quarts. Pints. B St. Estephe, Red Capsule. 3 6.96 7.66 O St. Julien, Red Capsule .... 9.00 9.60 Chatean d'Anglade...... 13.20 14.40 Chateau Haut Brion Larrivet ...... 18.60 19.20

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Volnsy, very superior red wine ..... 21.00 22.20 MADEIRA AND CHAMPAGNE Full particulars of the various Brands on application.

BRANDY. Per Case. A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red B Superior Very Old Cognac, C Very Old Liqueur Cognac ... 20.40 D Honnessy's Finest Very Old

Meursault, superior white

Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule..... 36.00 E Finest Very Old Lioneur Cognac, 1862 Vintage ..... 48.00 All our Brandy is guaranteed to be pure Cognac, the difference in price being merely a question of age and vintage.

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WHISKY. SCOTCH-A Thorne's Blend, White Cap. B Watson's Glenorchy Mellew. Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark, ... 10.80.

Watson's Abelour-Glenlivet, -Red Capsule, with Name D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule 14.40 Matson's Very Old Liqueur Daniel Crawford's Finest Very

Old Sootoh Whisky ..... 14.40 quality and of greater age than most brands population, while he however will—
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> A John Jameson's Old Green B John Jameson s Fins Old, Green Capsule L5.00 C John Jameson s Very Fine Old, Green Capania ........ 18.00

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Per Case Genuine Bourbon Whisky, Fine Old, Red Capenie, with our Name and Trade

Sample bottles and smaller quantities will be supplied at proportionate wholesale We, only guarantee our Wines and

Spirits to be genuine when bought direct from us in the Oclony or from our authorised Agents at the Coast Ports GIN. A Fine Old Tom, White

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Hongkong, March 29, 1894. MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Noon.-English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Etirope. BIRTHS.

On 20th April, at 85, Chapoo Road,

We only guarantee our Wines and Spirits | no The publication of this issue commenced

The China Mail. HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, AFRIL 25, 1894

WHAT to do with the unemployed, or D La Rose, Red Capsule ..... 12.96 13.92 how to find something for them to do. Sainte Foy ...... 7.20 7.92 is becoming a very grave question in-Cuesao ...... 9.60 10.44 deed. Every mail from Europe brings us news of the increasing misery, through destitution, of a vast number of men and women, who are unable to find any legitimate means of earning a livelihood In Great Britain, the number of the un-Our Clarets, including the lowest priced, in Great Britain, the number of the unare guaranteed to be the genuine product employed is steadily increasing, and the of the juice of the grape, and are not arti- question as to what can be done for ficially made from raisins and currents, as I them becomes every day more serious. The same may be said with regard to Sample bottles, and smaller quantities will Germany and France. Therefore, we hear of riots and unlawful demonstrations of various kinds by mobs of workless men for whom the struggle for life in the Colony of from our authorized has become too hard. At one time emigration was regarded as the panaces for the poverty which existed among the working classes. But that road towards successful labour and independence has for long been blocked, and it now affords no means of escape from poverty and misery. In the British Australasian possessions, which were at one time. and which may, we hope, again be looked upon as a 'land of promise,' there have been recently demonstrations by crowds of unemployed men, which, if not on so extensive a scale as those that have occurred at home and on the Continent; have at least sufficed to show that the proportion of the working population who have got no work to do is very large. Americs, another pro-

mised land, has also its too large proportion of workless men. In a Reuter's telegram received the other day we read of an semy of the unemployed on its way to Washington to implore the help of the Congress of the United States in their destitute condition. All this is of ominous import and is a serious menace to the peace and good government of civilised nations. No doubt, among the vast number of unemployed there are many who are habitual loafers and to whom the offer of honest toil would be anything but agreeable; but it is equally certain. to Amoy, light veriable airs and dense fog. Capt. and Mrs Hunt Mr A. Kindley Smith | Sample bottles and smaller quantitles on the other hand, that the majority question is-Where is the offer to come from? It is a question which but it is one which will have a be enswered speedily in some fashion. The well-to-do classes, as a rule, never have been able to realise fully, in all its prisble aspects, the miserable condition into which enforced idleness plunges a large number of the working class; nor have they shown that they possess anything like an adequate comprehension of the danger to good povernment, to trade and to society which the axistence of a large proportion of workless workmen necessarily implies. A starring man, with a starving wife and children. may not unnitinally be expected to become ultimately a desperate man His respect for the laws of his country is likely to diminish as he realises that wealth accumulates in the hands of Our lowest priced Whisky is of excellent comparatively small section of the

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sum in officialism; es a priminal kept morning in prison—the worst possible fate for soner any man; or as a wanderer about was about hump of his own melanchoric po- from exhaustion brought on by fever, plan- be out of place to refer to the doings of the mander Ashe and Mr W. McDonald in the exhausted, morally and mentally consisting of Mesers C. P. Karberg, B. F. S. season has been one of the most interesting Martini Cup with an average for five comout of him and he becomes one of those fearful wrecks to whom death would be the greatest relief.' It is a sorrowful but too true statement. Perhaps the ceedings. paramount importance of the Labour Question ' will be recognised by Governments of civilised nations when they have come to an understanding on the question of disarmament, and when they spending enormous and ever-increasing torpedo boats. They have now been amounts on armies and fleets.

### TELEGRAMS.

(SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.')

(Via Bouthern Line.) MILITARY HONOURS TO THE EM. PEROR OF GERMANY.

London, April 23rd, 1894. The Emperor of Germany has been S. Carey. appointed Honorary Colonel of the 1st Dragoon Guards. This is the first instance A CHINESE tinker was charged before Mr of a Foreign Sovereign's name appearing H. E. Wodehouse at the Magistracy this on the British Army list.

## PRECAUTIONS AGAINST ADULTERATION.

The Canadian tariff has been so levied only on impure tea and coffee.

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PARRED SUEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Maple Branch, March 6 : Woolwich, Yarrowdale, 9 : Ashdown,

Seine, 30 : Priam, Priok, April 6; Melbourne, Omba, Hector, 10; Mount Tabor, Era, 13; Glenogle, Nestor, Proussen, Manila, 17 : Kentuck, 21.

6; Shanghai, Sydney, Formosa, 13; Denbighshire, Laertes, Lawang, 17. The P. M. extra steamer City of Sydney, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to

April 4, left Yokohama on Tuesday, April 24, at 4 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Sunday next, April 29. The N. P. s.s. Tacoma, from Victoria, B.C.,

left Yokohama for Hongkong on the 24th April, via ports. The P. M. s.s. China, with mails, &c., left

San Francisco for this port, via Honotulu, on April 10. left San Francisco for this port, via Tukohama, on April 10.

The C. P. R. s. s. Empress of Japan left Vancouver for Hongkong on April 23.

The Heung Sing Co.'s s. s. Propontis left Samarang on April 13, and may be ex-

pected here on or about April 24. April 26.

The D. D. R. s. s. Salatiga, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on cargo of sugar. Since sailing neither vessel April 20, and may be expected here has been heard of. on or about April 26.

The s. s. Oakley left Singapore on April 20, and may be expected here on or about

The s. Radnorshire left Singapore on April 21, and may be expected here on or about April 27. The China Mutual steamer Oslong, from

Glasgow and Liverpool, left Singapore on April 21, and may be expected here | district. on or about April 27. The s.s. Lightning, from Calcutte, &c., loft

Singapore on April 24, and may be expected here on or about April 30. The Glau Line steamship Glenarizey, from for permission to land coolies suffering Antwerp, London and Straits, left Sip-

pected here on or about April 30. The P. & O. Co. s.s. Malatca left Bombay for this port on the 19th April.

THE Russian cruiser Rynd: (Commander Rimsk-Korsakoff) arrived from Singapore

THE s.s. Lightning, from Calcutta, left Singapore for this port yesterday afternoon, the 24th instant.

afternoon last.

THE s.s. Glendetney, from Antwerp, London and Straits, left Bingapore for this port on

Tuesday, the 24th inst. Mn H. L. Dennys informs us that the and very existocratic nobleman presented sometimes gone very well and sometimes 1893. The remainder was reinvested in certain parts of the world. On both and sometimes and very existocratic nobleman presented sometimes gone very well and sometimes in the state of the world. On both

To-MORROW, H.M.S. Conturion will take in 1000 tons of coal. This, it is understood. is the largest amount ever taken in by a war vessel in Hongkong in one day.

To-DAY, H.M.S. Severa came out of dock where the has been undergoing an overhaul. Bhe leaves on Monday next for Foothow and Nagazaki.

WE believe the Committee of the Victoria Recreation Club have refused to grant the requisition of a number of mambers to hold a special meeting to discuss the recent relection of a candidate for admission.

The singulary was of course, bounded justitution. The poor Marquis had no

hody of a Chinese pri-

SINCE Monday morning the naval authorities have been actively employed storing, provisioning and putting ammunition on board H.M.S. Wivern and Tweed, and the equipped in every respect for active service, and are taking part in mobiliza tion mancenvres. The guardships, with the flotlila of torpedo boats, proceeded to Tytam Bay this morning, where they will probably romain till Saturday next. Commander Ashe is in command of the Wirem R.E. and Lieut. C. F. Thursby of the Tweed. Torpedo boats are commanded by Lieuts.

morning with bringing six men into the Colony for the purpose of emigration. The defendant was sent to prison for six weeks. In his own defence, the defendant stated that all the men expressed their modified that the 10 cents duty will be willingness to go to Singapore with him. Scarcely a week passes in which men and

kong than they report the matter to the better next season. 20; Benledi, Bushmills, Gisela, 27; police and get turned loose upon the Colony. There ought to be an application of justice all round, and the persons who fraudulently secure a free passage HOMEWARD BOUND :- Benvenue, March 27; Hongkong under auch eircumstances ought Telamon, April 3; Kriemhild, Conch, to be made to suffer as well as the emigra-

WE believe H.M.S. Pallas, to whose departure we referred last night, proceeds to Portsmouth to pay off. She does not go home by the Cape, as has been rumoured. but by the Suez Canal. In the prosecution of her search for any traces of the missing vessels Morayshire and Blair Athole she will first visit the Philippine Islands, coaling at Manila, then to Warren Hastings Island, some of the Caroline Islands and Java. The Q. & O. s. s. Belgic, with mails, &c., this detour the voyage to Singapore will extend over 4000 miles, instead of the usual trip of 1400 miles. The British iron ship Morayshire (Capt. Mounti), + 100-4-1 Lloyds, 1482 tons gross, built 1875, sailed from Samarang for Vancouver on 22nd November, 1892, with a cargo of sugar, Pagne (Royal Engineers) ..... 17 The N. G. I. s. s. Stura, from Bombay, left The British iron ship Blair Athole (Capt. Fingapore for this port on April 19, Lister), +100 A 1 Lloyds, 1777 tons gross, Petrel (Royal Artillery) ...... 17

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Singapore for this port on April 19, Lister), +100 A 1 Lloyds, 1777 tons gross, Petrel (Royal Artillery) ...... 17 and may be expected here on or about built 1874, sailed from Pasarceang for Vancouver on 27th February, 1893, with a

> THE Sanitary Board meets to-morrow. The following is the Order of the Day :- Colonial Veterinary Surgeon's Report upon the that have been recently slaughtered in that race, no less than three boats had a chance fits as well as of business, whilst the unex-

Agenda .- Mortality Returns for weeks ended the 14th and 21st April, 1894. Application by the Consul for the Netherlands | winner. from beri-beri. Letter from Messrs David gapore on April 24, and may be ex-Sassoon, Bons & Co. concerning an offen sive nuisance in the neighbourhood of their Office. Applications for licences and renewal of licences to keep cattle and swine. Report by the Acting Superintendent upon Conservancy methods. Application for permission to erect water-closets upon Inland Lot No. 141. Letter from the Honourable Colonial Secretary concerning an application for permission to erect a memorial Club races, and was placed thirteen times

at the base.

tomb in the Shaukiwan cemetery.

entrust himself the life hands of the great doing better. The Charmian on her only surgeon, the prospective petient inquired what would be the amount of the honorarium. I shall require 4. 600 france. replied Velpeau. Upon this the Marqui looked very blank, besitated for a moment, and then bowed himself out. Right or ten days later a footman in livery, with carefully shaven face and powdered hair. presented - himself at the out-patient department of the Charite. His malady (dem (Howell). was duly diagnosed, and being considered sufficiently serious and interesting, the man leave the kospital, the operator approached the bed, surrounded by his class, and said: Sir I am extremely flattored at having Seabreen class the honour of contributing to the Park amelioration of your health. There now ! Charmie remains only a small formality for you to folfil. You will be good enough, in return | Fite for my services, to pay 10,000 france to the local charitable fund. The spurious lackey grew white as a sheek . You will pay the money or not, as may seem best to you, continued Verpeau, calmly; but, unless you do so the whole of Paris shall know by to-mortow that the Marquis of X. usurped the place of a pauper in a charitable

option but to simmo up.

nothing and costing the country a large | An inquest was held in Victoria Gaol this | ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB. The racing season of the Hongkong for the last Interport practice and competiage, and was recently Corinthian Sailing Club (now known as the tion for the Martini Cup and Spoons. Blue months, Drs Cant- Royal Hongkong Yacht Club) having been | Sargt, Buckingham and Insp. Watson won to live like a vagrant camel upon the lie and Marques stated that death resulted brought to a close on Saturday, it may not apoons in the Interport practice, and Com-

slowly getting physically risy and congestion of the lungs. The jury, various boats. From first to last, the Martini shoot. Commander Ashe wins the Remedios, and R. S. Judah, returned a since the institution of the sailing club, for, petitions of 62.6 points out of a possible 75. verdict of death from natural causes. Mr apart altogether from the extra races for Mr Chapman and Mr E. C. Shepherd tie for H. E. Wodehouse presided over the pro- special cups, the interest in the ordinary second place with an average of 61.9 marks club races was sustained right down to each. Scores :the termination of the season. By the departure of Lieut. Lloyd, R.E., the Club lost a most energetic Honorary Secretary. Mr Lloyd was a thorough sportsman, and did much during his stay in Mr F. Smyth Hongkong to provide the members with excellent competitions. He was ably seconded in his efforts by Major Eyton, lat Shropshire Light Infantry, the Mr W. McDoneld Commodore of the Club. Since Lieut. Lloyd left, the scoretarial duties have been ably discharged by Lieut. W. M. Thompson,

> A CLASS. The Payne, last year's champion boat, T. L. Barnardiston, C. E. Rooke, and E. has been sailing in good form, but, in the Sergt. Buckingham . light winds usually encountered at the tail of the season, she had to give way to the other boats with the exception of the Petrel, which never scored a first in the ordinary Club races. Much was expected from the Petrel and the Stelle, which had been built by the Dock Company to the order, respectively of the Royal Artillery Mess and Capt. Sterling and Mr F. H. May. The Payne (Royal Engineers) has done well when there It is not unlikely that his story is correct. was a stiff breeze and a choppy sea; but the Stella has shown herself to be the rough- S. L. Darby (seratch). women get free passages from the interior weather beat of her Class. Shelis, no doubt, of China to Hongkong, on a similar pre- too heavy all round, and with lighter gear tence; but no scener do they get to Hong- and less ballast and crew she should do Woodcook (scratch).

> > The Petrel has not come up to expectations. But it has to be borne in mind that her sail is not equal to those of the other boats either in out or set. The Ladybird evidently requires a lady at the helm. For two years in succession she has won the Ladies' Race at the final cruise. She seems to be able to do wonders with no wind at all. It is difficult to account for her want of success this season. Perhaps if she had had Mr J. Hastings, her old skipper, steering her throughout the season, her record might have been better, for out of three races in which he held the tiller she was

twice first. There is very little to choose between the Dart and the Payne. For the second time they have tied for championship honours.

The Dart more than held her own with the Payne when there were light airs. Below are the records of this class in

ordinary Olub rauss and special oun races :-CLUB RACES. ASSOCIATION, LIMITED. Starts 1st 2nd 3rd Pts.

SPECIAL CUP RACES.

B CLASS. for the second cup, for the Pearl might have beaten the She outright and the Kitten might have tied with the She, the ultimate

to the second class under a special rule, upon her last year's performances. since then she has undergone important alterations at the hands boat. With a larger sail area, she should be able to hold her own in the A Class. The Sae has shown most consistent form, generally being close up at the finish of the

out of sixteen starts. At times, the Kitten has done well, and winning post to allow the Ketten to score her 10 points. The day was boistorous, all the boats being close reafed. The form of the boats will be seen from

the following tables:-SPECIAL CUP BACKS. Charmian. - Commodore's Cup. Pearl .- Regatta Cup, 1st Day.

Cam. -- Regatta Cup, 2nd Day. Seabreeze .- Garrison Cup. INVITATIONS have been addressed to journalists throughout Japan to join the Tokyo is all I have to say regarding the business Journalistic League and to unite in a grand and accounts up to end of 1893. meeting in the capital on the 13th proximo, then things have been going on quite satis-

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. On Saturday last 15 members turned out

INTERPORT PRACTICE.

MARTINI CUP AND SPOONS.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT. Results :--

B CLASS SINGLE MANDICAP. M. Fredericks (receive 15.2) scratched E. M. Hazeland (scratch) beat S. Darby (scratch), 3-6, 8-6, 6-3 E. Tomlin (scratch) scratched to G. A. H. Humphreys (owe 15.2) best G. A. Woodcock (scratch), 6-4, 5-7, 6-2.

## SUPREME COURT. IN ORIMINAL SESSIONS.

A. H. Skelton (owe 15.2) beat K. A.

Lammert (scratch), 8-6, 4-6, 6-3.

(Before His Honour Mr E. J. Ackroyd, Acting Chief Justice, and a Jury.) Wednesday, April 25,

THE 'PERU' PASSAGE BROKER CASE. The Court resumed hearing of evidence in the charge of obtaining \$2220 by false pretences brought against Leung Kan Cho. The Crown was represented by the Acting Attorney General, Mr A. J. O.C., who was instructed by Mr A. Johnson, Crown Solicitor, and Mr C. D. Wilkinson. The prisoner was defended by Mr E. Robinson, instructed by Mr J. F

The jury returned a verdict of guilty on all three counts, and the prisoner was sentenced to two years' imprisonment on each count. The sentences were made French government,

# THE YANGTSZE INSURANCE

The fourth ordinary general meeting of Office, Shanghai, on the 18th inst., Mr present uncertainty of exchange.

James M. Young (Chairman) presiding. The Chairman said—The minutes of the | chants prefer to keep large balances lying last annual ordinary general meeting, held idle in the Shanghai banks to speculating exploded outside a ballroom at Montceau- mous in desiring peace. on the 26th of April last, are on the table, with yarn and piece goods at present rates, but having been printed and circulated in as profits on shipments from Shanghai have Loire, France. Much damage was done to the usual manner, will, with permission, be decreased so much as to render risks inadvis. property in the vicinity but no person was taken as read. The report and accounts to able, not to say ruinous. Speculation in ex-30th December, having been in your hands ports, especially white wax, recently brought for some time, may also, I presume, be several of them to grief also, and made the handicap has worked very well, and there taken as read. The accounts have been rest exceedingly chary of dabbling in that mite a State monopoly. was a fairly close finish for the two cups made up in the same form as before, and commodity. expenses has decreased. Net premia, less tion ground on the sands, and sent foot- thronged the route taken by the cortège, policy of immediately taking most steps as The Cam, winner of the first cup, proved reinsurances, etc., almount to \$323,011.96, ballers a begging. It has since receded to and many knelt as the coffin was borne will place the English fleet on an equal too good for her class. She was admitted or \$64,066.68 more than in 1892. The four feet and now looks like a steady April past. The proceedings were orderly more support from shareholders than for were entirely submerged. the Dock Company, and is now a superior say that our London Agency not only con- speculation among our local scientists was Pending claims against this account have on the night of the 3rd instant. This also That terrible paper the Hochi declares (says has shown herself to be the best boat to dia rupes paper in London, when the price speculation; the deposit left by these Vancouver for Hongkong, &c., on Monday. the Hyogo News) that an infant has been leeward. Of late, the Scabreeze has come was forced up owing to the Indian Mints storms is sometimes considerable and may born in Nishikizu-mura, Gifuken, with a to the front, and with a larger mainsail being closed to the free coinage of silver, possibly contain some chemical similar in horn in the middle of its forehead, five inches would hold her own with any boat in B At the time this was done, part of the colour to sulphur which when weahed in length and four inches in circumference division; at any rate, in light breezes. money was required for the purpose of re- by rain is more readily distinguished. The winds as a rule have been turning \$40 per share on organi, and ac- Perhaps some of your talented Shanghai fairly strong throughout the season, cordingly half the amount so fealised wa readers can throw some light on the subject Velpeau, the celebrated French surgeon, Ann, but her flag may have something to notical profit of \$23,586.17, which was ed searchers after knowledge. Sulphus was at the zerith of his fame, a very rich do with her bad joss. The Elfin has placed to the credit of Working Account showers are not, I believe, unknown in Museum of the City Hall will be closed to bimself at the hospital in order to obtain the public on the 26th, 27th and 28th inst., per pending the usual examination for repairs.

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Museum of the City Hall will be closed to bimself at the hospital in order to obtain very badly; and has, as a general rule, sheet, which are not likely to fluctuate so found some difficulty and lost time in get found some difficulty appearance at the starting line would have also on paper only, arising from revalue- respectively, on the two previous days, and won the race, but she was 'pulled' at the tion of securities on the 80th of December, the atmesphere was unusually maggy and from taking dollars at 73 instead of at 72, as was done last year, from some small unavoidable losses in Exchange, reducing the amount to \$16,131.11, which it is proposed to place to a separate account

called Exchange and Investment Fluothas tion Account' for the purpose of regulating apparent gains or losses that may occur. premium income, against 35.14 per cent. in her my wife hereafter. 1892. The percentage of expenses to 24.09 per cent, for 1892. Making the return of capital cost a great deal more getting the petition through the Courting Account 1892 : Claims pending amount to \$7,000 as nearly as can be estimated. Working Account former years : Balvages recovered amounted to \$14,077, but claims paid on this account come to \$23,504. Of the amount due by agencies for premis in course of collection about \$73,000 has been collected since the end of the year, leaving about \$9,000 only still outstanding. This

as far as latest advices enable us The report and accounts were unanimously adopted. It was also agreed unani-

That a dividend of ten per cent., being six dollars per share on the paid-up capital. be declared, payable on the 19th instant, at the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and Chins, or the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, Shanghai, shareholders of record on the 9th instant.

#### FOOCHOW NOTES. A further rise of 20 cents per pioni has

taken place in rice this week owing shortness of supply. In the meantime we hear of the arrival lately of 10,000 piculs to replenish the government granaries. rise has been established in most fabrics of foreign manufacture after the exercise of much patience. No doubt all-will follow in time, but the market has been slow to move in response to the downward course of sterling exchange, smaller shopkeepers and consumers not being able to follow the reasons given for the advance in prices. Lucifer matches Japanese and Chinese manufacture, unaffected by exchange, were never so cheap as at the present moment.

We lately mentioned that a sharp lookout was being made by the authorities for manufacturers of spurious tes. A proclamation has now appeared having the stamp offthe Likin Taotai warning those interestto abandon the business as being detrimental to the trade and the article itself prejudicial to health. A reward is offered for information that may lead to the discovery of any person disregarding this notice. Any detected delinquent will be deported and his factory seized.

The following is too good to be lost:- A story is told of a planter who made some sketches of life on a tea plantation and sent them to a London illustrated paper. The sketches, of course, represented the teabushes as flat; but, when they appeared in the pages of the illustrated. what was the planter's dismay to find that they had suddouly shot up into tall tress! The art critic of the paper, who, it is needless to sav. had never seen a tea-bush in his life, had discovered what he considered a serious defect in the drawings, and had himself added tops to the bushes.' - Echo.

IOHANG.

(N.-C. Daily News correspondent.) Dr Morrison, who passed through this port a few weeks aince bound to Bhamo, accomplished the passage from lohang to Chungking in thirteen days, thus making record trip, which will enable him to reach Burma before the rainy season sets sufficiently strong to cause him serious in. convenience. This certainly brings Chung-

king within measurable distance of ardent globs-trotters who do not mind roughing it in small jucks or large sampans, such as the indomitable dector travelled on. Monsieur Berger, the son of a French Deputy, who together with his wife recently accompanied the newly appointed French Consul to the upper port for the purpose, it is reported, of ascertaining what opportunities exist there of establishing a French trade in cotton stuffs and other commodities. returned here a weeks ago, and leaves by the next steamer for Hankow. The French Consul also came down the other way, and is believed to be on his way to France : possibly to report his observations to the

Trade prospects seem anything but couleur. de rose just now in the upper provinces, so far as foreign goods are concerned, for eilver depreciation is working its effects here as in the carge of dynamice in the bull of the other parts of China, so there is little hope steamer Cabo Machichaco has been exploded of establishing new business. Even the without causing further damage to the firms already doing trade with them com- town. Twenty thousand residents who plain of stagnation brought about by the left the town pending the explosion have of Italy are visiting Her Majesty Queen

I hear, money is not wanting, but the mer-

will, I trust, be considered satisfactory, After a couple of days' heavy rain during inasmuch as they show an increase of pro- last week the river made a sudden and Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot and throughout the Kingdom, the recent public person ruses as the out of the port; the memory of the oldest has April 1.—It is estimated that half a milipublic attention to an unusual degree, and earned are smaller, or, in other words, the not been consulted—by rushing up to lion persons were present at the funeral the proposed enormous expenditure in this premia earned have considerably increased, fifteen feet seven; over ten feet in two obsequies of the late Louis Kossuth, the direction is warmly opposed in certain whereas the percentage of claims paid and days. This entirely wiped out our recree. Hungarian patriot and exite. Crowds quarters. The Government favours the Head Office and principal Eastern Agencies rise. The opening was so sudden and throughout. have been responsible for this increase. unexpected that the junk masters were The increased business has, with few excep- caught napping and their crafts got a bit tions, proved profitable, and we have had mixed, while the mat villages on the sands

many years past. I am also very glad to A phenomenon that has caused no little tinues indispensable through its usefulness a sulpher-like deposit that embroidered the as an agency but is now paying its way. edge of all little pools after a thunderstorm been very liberally estimated to make them occurred last year after a similar storm up to \$75,000. Interest Account shows a about the same time of the season, when falling-off of \$6,792, caused by the return some of the matter was collected by Dr of part of the capital made in August last. Aldridge. Whether it is in any way con-Sale of Indian Securities. - Advantage meeted with the dust storms experienced was taken of a favorable opportunity to here every March, and said to come from realise the Association's holding of In- the deserts of Manchurla, is a matter for brought out to China and resulted in an and enlighten us benighted and perturb-

A JAPANEER contemporary says :- A man in Komayama-mura, Chiba-ken, recently sold his wife to a neighbour and gave him the following receipt: 'Received the sum of one yen and fifty sen for the sale of my wife Claims paid amount to 29.62 per cent. of to Mr A., and I hereby premise not to call

> plan for dealing with the Irish question, that they intend to make the system a per- a complete success. says the Times, but the view is gaining manent one. ground that his plan is not that which the House of Lords rejected last year, and that he relies upon the co-operation of moderate men on both sides of the House rather to bring about a sattlement. A report was House of Commone the Settlement of also been destroyed by fire, 257 because bedraw from their present alliance, the Goundersanding that a general election shall take place in June or at the latest July.

#### NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

GREAT BRITAIN AND EGYPT. statement alleged to have been made on ed between the contending passion. the authority of M. Flourens, who was office in 1885, negotiations were pro- German influence predominates. ceeding between France and Germany on the basis that Brance should abandon her oust the British from Egypt.

The disclosures have caused some seusation in Paris, and it is probable that proceedings will be instituted against Flourens for disclosing diplomatic secrets. SERIOUS RIOTS IN CAROLINA.

London, March 31,-An attempt to enorce stringent liquor laws in South Caro. lina, United States, has resulted in serious riots at Darlington. Several citizens were killed during the outbreak, and many were

Twenty-one detectives were driven into a Texas, America. swamp by a large body of rioters, and were A negress who was accused of the murder either drowned or killed. Three companies of State troops have to have been innocent, was seized by an been disbanded for refusing to proceed to infuriated mob, who placed the unfortunate

Darlington to suppress the riots. riots caused by the enforcing of the stringent liquor laws in the State of South | and died shortly afterwards from the fearful Carolina, martial law has been proclaimed injuries inflicted by the spikes. in the countries of Darlington and Florence. The Governor of the State has placed an embargo on the local telegraph and railway commercial treaties entered into between

April 2 .- The liquor law in South Caroline places the sale of alcohol in the hands of which is likely to be a disarmaniant

riots in South Carolina state that the tions, leaving the funds thus available to seigure of the telegraphs and railroads by be devoted to the improvement of the the Governor of the State is driving the workers. people into revolt. Private sales of liquor have been stopped since July last year, the publicans receiving no compensa. British Administrator in Mashonsland, has tion. A few State dispensaries supply the cabled to London to the effect that the public with the liquor they require, and prospects in connection with the discoveries

for their own consumption. The prohibition bill was forced through the State Legislature by the fanaticism of Governor Tillman.

April 3 .- A portion of the militis has occupied strategic positions in the disturbed districts in South Carolina. The rioters are trying to induce the troops to refuse to carry out the orders of their officers. The situation still wears a menacing

A number of the detectives who were driven into a swamp by a large body of rioters, and who were supposed to have been either drowned or killed, succeeded in effecting their escape. THE SAMOAN QUESTION.

London, March 31 .- Is is believed Washington that Great Britain, Germany, and the United States uphold the decision of Mr Henry Ide, the Chief Justice of Samos, in regard to the treatment of the Samoan chiefs for the part they took in the rebellion of July, 1893.

The chairman of the Committee on Foreigh Affairs in the United States Senate declares that the present tripartite agreement in regard to Samoa is an entangling alliance, and that it had better be ended. THE DYNAMITE EXPLOSION AT SANTANDER. London. March 30 .- Twenty thousand residents have left Santander, in Spain, until the remaining portion of the cargo of dynamite in the hull of the steamer Cabo

Machichaco has exploded. March 81.—The remaining portion

Yet. now returned to their homes. THE ANARCHISTS.

The European Powers are parleying with a view to make the manufacture of dyna-

THE LATE LOUIS KOSSUTH. London, March 28 .- The son of the late is being awaited with keen interest

AMERICA AND HAWAIL London, March 27 .- The Chairman of the Daited States Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has denied the truth of has decided to subsidies twenty-sight of the report that America has decided to improve Pearl Harbour, in the Hawaiian Islands, with the view of establishing a naval station there. Admiral Walker, he says. has been appointed to counteract British influence in favour of ex-Queen Lilinoka-

April 1.—The Provisional Government of Hawaii has summened a convention to draft a new Constitution.

THE PROZEN MEAT TRADE. London, March 29 .- Several friends of Mr W. Weddell, of W. Weddell and Co.. agent for the Queensland Meat Export Company, have opened retail shops in Hamburg for the sale of Queensland frozen mest. They are said to be doing a satisfactory trade. Mr Weddell will shortly revisit Germany with the view of opening

additional shops. Certificates are to be granted by the German consuls in Australia with the view

companies has made the experiment of discharging Australian meat direct to the frozen stores from the vessels, with a successful result.

The Mairishire's cargo of frozen meat was discharged in two days and a half. Mr James Huddart is arranging with the Canadian-Pacific Railway Company to erect cold storage accommodation at Vancouver. THE LABOUR QUESTION. Lordon, March 29.-The proprietors o

the Salford Iron works are so satisfied with the results of one year's experiment with premia is 20,26 per cent. for 1893, against No one doubts that Lord Rosebery has a the eight-hour system for the workmen schemes of the various Banks are previous

eight hours. current in the lobby the other night that, Labour Disputes Bill, to enable the Board ing burned to death.

April 8. Bir Edward Grey, Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office, stated in the House of Commons last night that the British Consul in Samon had reported London, March 1.—The Paris journal that a British man-of-war was not needed Figure recently published a remarkable at Apia, as peace was certain to be arrange

The Berlin journal, Vossische Zeitung. formerly Minister for Foreign Affairs. The advocates the view that Great Britain or statement was to the effect that, when the one of the Australia colonies should govern Jules Ferry and Brisson Ministries were in | Samos. Other papers in Berlin assert that

THE WRICE OF THE BRANKAGE London, March 29 .- The United States. idea of revenge against Germany on condi- historic sloop-of-war Kearsage, which sank tion that Germany should help France to | the Alabama in 1864, and which was wrecked on 2nd February of the present year on Roncadore Reef, while on her voyage from Port au Prince to Bluefields, in Central America, has been plundered and burned by Caribbean Sea wreckers

THE CIVIL WAR IN BRACIL. London, April 2 .- President Pelzoto's troops have occupied Starrare, on the frontier of the province of Sac Paulo.

LYNOR LAW IN TRYAS. London, March 30,-A horrible case of lynching is reported to have taken place in

of a child, but who has since been declared woman luside a spiked berret. Having April 1 .- As the result of the serious closed the ends, they rolled the cask down a hill. The woman was terribly mutilated.

THE STUATION IN BURGES! London, April 3 .- It is believed that the Russia and Germany and Russia and Austria herald a rapprochement, the result of the military forces in Europe or an Further particulars as to the liquor law indefinite suspension of military prepara-

GOLD DISCOVERIES IN MATABELELAND. London, April 2. Dr Jameson, 48 private citizens are forbidden to import any of gold in Matabeleland exceed expectations everywhere. The result of the penning of alluvial is maryellous. The prospectors are emphatic in their belief as to the size and permanence of the rects.

NEW ERALAND LOAK AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY. London, April 3.-The public examination of the directors of the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company. Limited, has been commenced before Mr Justice Williams.

Mr Larkworthy, who was first examined. admitted that counsel's opinion was given in 1879 to the effect that the statements in the company's prospectus in reference to the security of debentures were unjustified. Mr Larkworthy added that he had always been of opinion that the debeniares were no charge on the assets. The board ganctioned an advance of £40,000 to Mr Russell, one of the directors, smainst the security of land in Welkato, New Zealand. which Mr Larkworthy described as a Mr Russell pledging securities alleged to be valued at £59,000. The London Board of Directors did not investigate the advance, but relied upon the colonial directors, who were personally

A DUCHESS ROBBED OF HER JEWELS. London, April 12.-The Downger Duckiess of Manchester, whilst travelling in Spain, has been robbed of her jawels. valued at many thousands of pounds. The thief subsequently came into collision with train, which providentially smeaked bis legs, the jewellery thereby being recovered.

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THE PRACE OF EUROPE London, April 12.-The King and Queen representative of a Paris journal that Italy. March 28.—A dynamite bomb has been Germany, Austria, and Russia are muchi-

> London, April 2 .- The death is announced of Lord Hannen, the divorce THE NAVE ESTIMATES.

London, April 12.-The Navy Estimates are now being hotly discussed in the House of Commons, and the result of the debate footing with any probable heatile combinetion, sad the details of a scheme to this end have been placed before the House. The British Admiralty, pending the adoption and carrying out of the above scheme, the most powerful steamers belonging to the different lines, such vessels to be fitted out as cruisers to aid in protecting British merchant vessels in the not situation improbable event of a sudden onthreak of

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